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SEYMOUR INDIANA.

## A LOVE FEAST

### Indiana Republicans Meet to Renew the Ties of Al- legiance to Party

### THE NOTABLE ADDRESSES

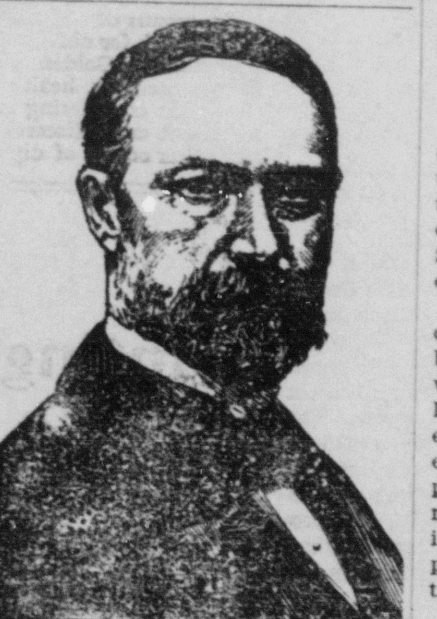
### Keynote of the Coming Cam- paign Sounded By the Party Leaders.

### The New State Chairman Makes His Initial Appearance in Public Meeting.

Indianapolis, Jan. 1.—If there is anything in an outward expression of enthusiasm, the Republican party in Indiana may fairly declare itself in fit and excellent condition for an entrance upon the coming campaign. For evidence of this enthusiasm was everywhere present yesterday at the annual Republican "love feast," and the signs were taken to be encouraging in an unusual degree. The meet- ing of the Republican party workers of the state preliminary to the opening of the campaign was very largely attended, all sections of the state being represented, and the interest displayed on all sides and the evidences of complete harmony everywhere apparent gave cause for felicitation among the leaders of the party.

The formal meeting at the Denison hotel was presided over by State Chairman Goodrich. To many present this was the first introduction to the new chairman, and it is clear that he left a very agreeable impression upon those within the sound of his voice when he called the meeting to order. His introduction of the several speakers was performed in a happy manner. The first to speak, by right of his position in state politics, was Senator Charles W. Fairbanks, who, as did all the speakers, found the audience liberal with applause. Senator Fairbanks said:

Senator Fairbanks' Speech.  
It has been quite difficult for me to meet with you today because of duties and responsibilities which rest upon me elsewhere, but I could not allow any demands anywhere else to prevent me from enjoying with you this informal gathering of Republicans who have touched elbows in so many hard-



SENATOR CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS.

fought political campaigns. There is something that is individually helpful and inspiring in such meetings as this, composed of those who have served well their party and their country. I am one who holds to the belief that every man should discharge well his civic duty, and that he can do it in no better way than by serving in the Republican party. Party service is honorable and commendable if it is rendered for exalted purposes and for wholesome ends. If rendered for such purposes, it can never be dishonorable or censurable.

The Republican party of Indiana has a brilliant and honorable record. It has from the beginning served well the state and no stain rests upon it. Its star has ever been the public interest, and it has never departed from this splendid truth, either in defeat or in victory.

I congratulate you that we meet under such agreeable circumstances, and when the prospects for continued Republican ascendancy are so promising. Conditions everywhere are proclaiming the wisdom of Republican policies and the soundness of Republican administration, state and national. The party has been tested in the severe heat of actual experience, and it has met every reasonable demand upon it. What more could be required?

Our party judgment upon great public questions has invariably been the soundest. When many states wavered and equivocated, Indiana has stood firm upon the great cardinal doctrines which have given us national and state supremacy and filled the country with prosperity and contentment. We must continue to subject to the most rigid scrutiny the proclamation of our party faith, and we must let the world know that Indiana Republicans have no hesitations for policies born of hysteria or for hysterical statesmanship. Mere party success is barren; it is

utterly meaningless if it does not promote the public welfare. The people have given us their confidence in an especial degree; we must not forfeit it; we must continue to deserve to hold it, and this we shall do if we are but true and faithful in the discharge of the public business. Republicanism must be synonymous with sound and economical administration. It has always been so; it is so today; it must ever continue so to be.

The Republican party has always been an assurance to both capital and labor of that stability which is essential to the success of each. It has never yet for the purpose of mere temporary triumph attempted to set one at war with the other, knowing full well that that victory which is not founded upon truth and righteousness is but temporary, and in the end worse than defeat itself. We must not only enunciate sound and wholesome principles, but must nominate good men who will faithfully, intelligently and successfully administer the public business. The battle is half won when the very best men who can be induced to serve are offered for the suffrage of the people. There are no offices so insignificant that we can afford to nominate for them unfit or inefficient men. Wherever any office is to be filled it should not be filled by anyone who proposes or desires to subordinate it to mere personal aggrandizement.

An important campaign lies immediately before us. I have never seen the party in this great state more eager for the contest or more confident of the result. We will meet it upon the high plane of principle; it shall be a contest of principles, and we shall set Republican fulfillment against Democratic prophecy. We shall offer good men for the people's suffrage and we invite our political adversaries to do likewise. In this connection permit me to observe that it has seemed to me that during the last few years we have been putting politics in Indiana upon a higher plane than ever before. There is less of defamation than in earlier years, and more appeal to the reason and judgment of men. May it always be so.

Republican victory the coming year means much. The legislature to be chosen must apportion the state for legislative purposes. This is really its most important function. It is essential that we should carry both branches of the legislature in order that we may enact a fair apportionment law—one that is free from any taint or suggestion of the gerrymander. There are many here that recollect full well the long and arduous task we had in tearing up, root and branch, the Democratic gerrymander and putting upon the statute books an apportionment law which is fair and just to all parties.

We meet with no trace of factional disturbance. To the administration of President Roosevelt we yield loyal allegiance. With the party harmonious and united throughout the state, this is indeed a happy augury. It forecasts certain Republican victory.

Senator Beveridge's Address.  
Senator Beveridge was then introduced by the chairman, who made fitting reference to the senator's recent trip around the world and of his special observations in the Philippines. Senator Beveridge was given the acclaim of the gathering. He said:

Fellow Republicans: Glorification of the Republican party is always beautiful, and at a love feast of party workers it is especially appropriate. It is therefore with pleasure that I echo the sentiments of my distinguished colleague. But, after all, the Republican party is not the end—it is the means. It is the welfare of the American people that is the end. It is the power and glory of the American nation that is the end.

The Republican party is splendid in history and dear to us today solely and only because it has been the agent of American progress at home and American supremacy abroad. It is because the millions of American citizens have understood this that they became Republicans. It was this which drew to our organization the myriads of former Democrats who have wrought so stoutly for our recent victories and who constitute to-day so valuable and so valued an element of our strength.

Every true Republican is such only because he thinks that that is the best way for him to be an American. Republicanism is only a method of Americanism—the highest method yet developed, and that is the cause of the continuity of our power.

But, fellow Republicans, it is not enough that we have been in the past—we must be all this intensified in the present and the future. I dis- credit not the Republican party's past—I hold its record dear, as history holds it glorious; all its deeds for country and for man; all its ordinances for human rights; all its enactments for the permanent prosperity of the republic—memories of battlefield and council hall, of heroes, warriors, statesmen, of mighty names, historic work and deathless fame, of Lincoln, Sumner, Grant, of Morton, Harrison and Blaine; of homestead laws, of the policy of resumption, of the great statutes of protection, of the equality amendments to the constitution—all these are ours as much today as when they were vital with the necessity of the hour.

But these are conditions executed, the record of things achieved—not problems existing and pressing for an answer. And it is to these last that we must address ourselves. We can not depend exclusively even on our recent past, whose brilliant splendor is so near that it will blind us to the new and immortal names we have given to the world, new and destiny-

determining deeds, new victories for the nation's honor and the majesty of the flag.

We have fought and won the battle for honest money. We have saved the name "United States" from shame. We have driven from the islands of the Occident and Orient the savagery and incompetence of a senile race, and we are building there the best administration ever given by a governing nation to its wards in all the history of the world. We have lifted the financial center of the human universe out of Europe and set it down within the boundaries of the American republic. Germany sells her bonds to us. England comes to us for funds. Russia advertises her securities for sale in Chicago daily newspapers. Our lines of trade, even though they have been carried on foreign ships, have woven a golden network of American com-



SENATOR BEVERIDGE.

merce around the globe. But we can not rest on this. The law of the Republican party's life is progress, to do new things as moving time demands them, to counsel with events, to fit new methods to new conditions, which the old methods no longer fit, to move onward as the world moves onward, aye, and from this beginning of the Twentieth century to see that the United States actually leads in the march of the nations.

The Republican party is the only political organization that ever grew great on victory, and this is the reason of that miracle—for its victory has meant nothing but an opportunity to do new and constructive work, to make wise progress, to achieve conservative advance. This is what has won for us the allegiance of the thoughtful, earnest, progressive men of other parties, this is why it is that in American public life today there is nothing but the party of the government on the one hand, and on the other hand a disorganized opposition without a single clear belief or a single concrete conception. This tells why the confidence of the country is ours, and this warns us how that confidence may be lost.

Organization is invaluable, even in its narrow sense, but ideas and ideals alone make organization vital. Principles are the life-blood without which the organization, however perfect, is lifeless. The people care nothing for the spoils of office. The people despise the feuds of faction. But the people care everything for the prosperity of the country; the people care everything for the power and glory of the republic over all the earth and on all the seas. Therefore it is to the future that we must turn our faces, and to new work that we must put our hands; and it is upon the work that the next campaign must be fought and won, and not on progress past or work accomplished yesterday.

All the problems are not solved. The great question of American ships on the world's high seas must be discussed and settled—and that is a question profoundly grave. The readjustment of our commercial relations with the world whose trade we must retain and increase, must be studied with caution, solved with regard to the intricate interlacings of industry, executed fearlessly and firmly, but with conservatism and delicacy, and that is a problem graver still. An American colonial policy must be built slowly, carefully, wisely, with scientific method, until the world shall admit that America's way of governing a dependent people is the best way yet devised, just as the world has been forced to admit that American inventiveness has produced the best machines yet constructed.

The reform of our financial chaos, so solidly and brilliantly begun, must be continued until our finances are arranged in scientific system, responding to improving business methods—for finance exists for business, not business for finance. Scores of national necessities branching out from these fundamental lines will one by one require attention. And this is the weighty task before the administration makes in doing this work the Republican party must appeal to the American people. And, fellow workers of the Republican party, the Republican administration will do that great work well. Inspired by the example of the greatest American president since Lincoln—the immortal McKinley—with the chart of the future made by that master mariner before him, with the voyages McKinley traced thereon and the ports he marked to guide him, with the final orders of our greatest captain sounding in his very mind and fearless heart thus aided, with the prayers and faith of the American people to uplift and sustain him, Theodore Roosevelt, our new commander, will guide the republic safely through every storm and over every sea. Our highest hope for him, our best belief in him is that he will

## PALAUVER PENDING

### German-Venezuelan Imbro- lio Has Yet to Go Through Talk Stage.

### COERCIVE MEASURES

### Will Not Be Adopted Until All In- termediate Efforts Have Sig- nally Failed.

### The Teutons Are Glad That Report- ed Bellicose Utterances Here Were Unfounded.

Berlin, January 1.—Until Dr. O. Schmidt-Leda, the German minister to Venezuela, arrives at Caracas, which will be about Jan. 5, nothing will be done by Herr Von Pilgrim-Paltz, the German charge d'affaires here, to press President Castro further. Dr. Schmidt-Leda bears instructions from the German government. The carrying out of the successive steps out-

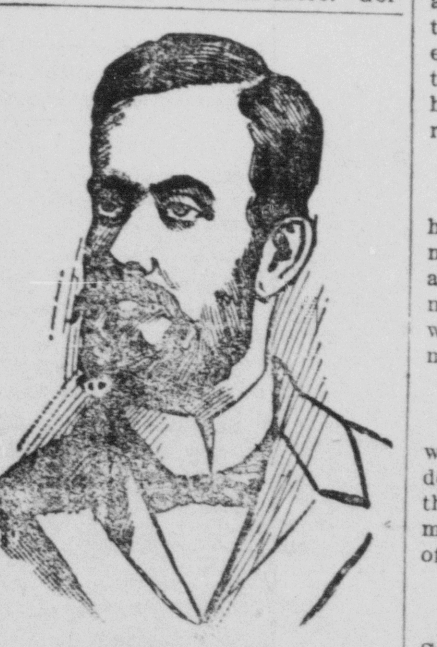


KAISER WILHELM II.

ed in these instructions will end in coercive measures, which will probably be applied in four or five weeks' time if intermediate efforts shall have failed in the meantime. It is possible, however, that events may shorten this period.

Insomuch as Germany is possessed of the good will of the United States in this matter, Baron Von Richthofen, imperial secretary of foreign affairs, desires to give President Castro ample time to recognize this fact, and the fact also that Germany is really in earnest in the matter. Germany will not act at the moment when a foreign difficulty might strengthen President Castro's hold upon his country by uniting Venezuelan national feeling against Germany.

It is understood at the foreign office here that the United States is not only tolerant of Germany's purpose toward Venezuela, but pleased that Germany and not the United States is to undertake to discipline Venezuela into paying her debts and keeping faith with foreigners doing business there. Ger-



PRESIDENT CASTRO.

many's action with regard to Venezuela has been likened here to France's recent course toward Turkey, which was considered wholly unwise to have affected the controversies between Turkey and other countries. The German cruiser Gazelle is still at Kiel, although she has been ordered to sail for the Caribbean sea. Her departure is delayed by necessary outfitting.

The German press prints with satisfaction copious extracts from American editorials disapproving the dispatch from Washington to a New York newspaper printed Sunday to the effect that persons of importance in the American war and navy departments considered war between Germany and the United States to be inevitable.

The Flag Again.  
Caracas, Jan. 1.—The Official Gazette publishes a decree signed by President Castro, in which the steamer "Libertador," formerly the Ban Right, is declared to be a pirate. The government of Venezuela has offered a reward of \$10,000 and the cargo she carries to the Venezuelan or foreign ship which shall seize the Libertador. She is being used in the interests of the revolution against Castro, of which General Matos is the reputed leader. General Matos has issued a manifesto.

### A NEW START

### Unconditional Pardon for Nebraska's Defaulting Treasurer.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 1.—Gov. Savage last night granted an unconditional pardon to Joseph S. Bartley, former state treasurer, who five years ago was sentenced to 20 years in the penitentiary on conviction of having embezzled \$201,000 of state funds. The pardon went into effect from the moment it was delivered to Mrs. Bartley by the governor's private secretary. It was presented to Warden Davis at the penitentiary a half hour later, and at 9 o'clock with his family and lawyer, Bartley was brought in a carriage to his home in the city.

### A Double Tragedy.

St. Louis, Jan. 1.—When the police last night forced the door of a room in the Gould hotel they found the inanimate body of a young woman, subsequently identified as Pearl Sutor of Jerseyville, Ill., lying on the bed and near it Charles H. Holcomb of Corsicana, Tex., fatally wounded. The woman had been struck in the head with a sharp instrument, evidently a hatchet, and Holcomb was suffering from bullet wounds. The police have been unable to unravel the mystery surrounding the tragedy.

### Colorado Fiend's Deed.

Denver, Col., Jan. 1.—At 9 o'clock last night an unknown man attacked Harold Friedborn, aged 15, and Florence, his sister, aged 16, while they were skating on a small pond near their home in North Denver. The boy was struck on the head with an ax and instantly killed. The girl was then assaulted. Some time later she recovered consciousness and reached her home.

### Gave Him Leave.

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 1.—While hunting near here the 10-year-old son of Barbour King was shot and instantly killed by his 12-year-old brother. One asked the other boy to "give him leave to shoot." The brother replied, "Let her fly," and began to run. The older boy fired to scare him, but the charge struck the boy in the head, tearing it completely off.

### Resignation Called For.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 1.—President Roosevelt has formally demanded the resignation of David A. Nunn, collector of internal revenue for the Fifth district of Tennessee. Alleged violation of civil service regulations in the discharge of a clerk is said to be the cause. Colonel Nunn has gone to Washington.

### Strange Baggage.

El Reno, O. T., Jan. 1.—Game wardens here yesterday confiscated nine trunks filled with 4,000 pounds of quail, prairie chickens and venison, which J. T. Jones was shipping as baggage to Kansas City, and arrested Jones. The accidental breaking of a trunk led to the discovery.

### Charge of Murder.

Ardmore, I. T., Jan. 1.—Philip Barrett, a stenographer of this city, was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with the murder of Mrs. V. Emhart, a widow. It is alleged that Barrett struck Mrs. Emhart with a chair and broke her neck when she tried to keep him from abusing his wife.

### He Made Death Sure.

Indianapolis, Jan. 1.—Frank Baker an engineer on the Big Four Railway, threw himself in front of a switch engine in the yards at Brightwood yesterday and met instant death. His head was severed from the body. No reason is given for the suicide.

### Both Fixed For Trouble.

Paducah, Ky., Jan. 1.—It is reported here that near Sprout's Bridge, eight miles east of Fulton, George Stevens and Berry Hill, prominent young men, met and began firing at each other with pistols. Both men are said to be mortally wounded.

### Didn't Keep Them Long.

New York, Jan. 1.—Kern, the valet who disappeared with thousands of dollars worth of jewels belonging to the Thebauds, in whose employ the man was, has been captured and most of the missing jewelry recovered.

### Killed His Cousin.

Hamlin, W. Va., Jan. 1.—Ballard Sowards, a prominent farmer, yesterday shot and killed Walter Sowards, his cousin. Domestic trouble was the cause.

### Death of Col. Monterey.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—Colonel Thomas H. Monterey, once widely known as a swordsman, died here yesterday at the age of 88 years.

### TERSE TELEGRAMS

The failures in Nova Scotia during the year 1901, with liabilities of \$38,337 and nominal assets of \$22,000.

The year closed on the stock exchanges with a demonstration of confidence in the substantial basis of values.

An authoritative denial is made of the report that an alliance has been formed between Chile and Colombia for offensive and defensive purposes.

The Terry McGovern-Dave Sullivan fight will take place before the Yosemite Athletic club at San Francisco some time between March 17 and April 30.

The floods in the south have caused serious delays in the mail service between the east and southwest as well as locally in the affected regions.

The Boston schooner Harry L. Beiden struck on Green Island, Bay of Fundy and is a total wreck. The crew of 18 men were rescued after some difficulty.

Owing to the inability of the railroad to furnish coal cars to handle coke from the mines the iron furnaces in Roanoke, Va., have banked for an indefinite time.

The death rate in New York city for 1901 was 23.2 as against 20.7 for 1900. There were 32,480 marriages in the year. Just closed as against 32,241 in 1900, while the births were 90,735 last year against 91,721 in 1900.

### THE POPE'S HEALTH

New York, Jan. 1.—A patch from Rome from the J. M. Farley, auxiliary bishop of New York, announces that he had a private audience of over half an hour with the



POPE LEO XIII. FROM A RECENT PHOTOGRAPH.

pope yesterday. In contradiction of the rumors about the feeble condition and frequent fainting spells of his holiness, the bishop found the pope in perfect health and displaying marvelous lucidity of intellect and strength of memory.

### The Danish West Indies.

Copenhagen, Jan. 1.—It has been learned upon the best authority that the treaty between the United States and Denmark for the sale of the Danish West Indies will be signed in spite of the agitation here against such action, inasmuch as the Danish government has given its promise to this end. The question of a plebiscite will not be allowed to interfere in the matter.

### Anxious to Return.

Newberry, Mich., Jan. 1.—George E. Walker, charged with having embezzled several thousand dollars from the Newberry bank, writes from El Paso, Tex., to President Dutcher, offering to return and make such restitution as he can add to submit to punishment. His whereabouts were unknown prior to the receipt of his letter from Texas.

### Was the Official Hangman.

Guthrie, O. T., Jan. 1.—O. W. Coffelt, a prisoner brought back here yesterday from Del Rio, Tex., and wanted in Winfield, Kan., in connection with the Montgomery murder, is said by officials to have been the official hangman of the government for several years at Fort Smith, Ark.

### Stole \$125,000.

Lisbon, Jan. 1.—A confidential clerk of the Credito Predial bank has been arrested, charged with the embezzlement of \$125,000. It appears that the clerk has long practiced an ingenious system of forgery. A number of alleged accomplices have also been arrested.

### Fifth Case of the Kind.

Sandford, Ind., Jan. 1.—Will King died suddenly as a result of drinking eight two-ounce bottles of lemon extract, purchased of a Sandford merchant. The coroner held an inquest and recommends that a grand jury investigate and prosecute the merchant, this being about the fifth case of this kind that has occurred here recently. Mrs. King threatens to sue the merchant for damages.

### Twenty-Seven Children.

Tipton, Ind., Jan. 1.—A marriage license has been issued to David Studard, 83 years old, near Elkin in the southwestern part of the county, the father of 15 living children and three times as many grandchildren, to wed Mrs. Luellen Keagar, 80 years of age, and the mother of 12 children.

## NO SHADOW

Of outward misfortune can darken the smile of the loyal and loving mother. But when disease comes the smile slowly fades, and in its place comes the drawn face and tight closed lips which tell of the constant struggle with pain.

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The compliments of the season—A Happy New Year.

READ the splendid addresses of Senator Fairbanks and Beveridge and Governor Durbin found on the first and fourth pages of this issue. These addresses were delivered at the republican love feast yesterday.

THE Columbus Herald is authority for the statement that Major Peter E. Wells, the Elizabethtown wine merchant, has donated 200 bottles of wine for the democratic banquet at Columbus January 3. The announcement is made in advance therefore a big crowd may be expected. Just think what 200 bottles of wine will do for that meeting. It will certainly be a lively crowd for awhile after the bottles are empty.

Swope & Mills, delivery horse had a leg broken and was killed today.

Received their Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Simeon L. Jones received quite a large number of their friends at the home of Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Guernsey, on West Second street this afternoon from two to five o'clock. The parlors were beautifully decorated with holly, smilax and palms and cut flowers. Harry Guernsey received the guests at the door and Miss Edna Kimmell and Miss Beulah Mount presided at the punch bowl. Refreshments were served in two courses by Mrs. Guernsey. Within a few days Mr. and Mrs. Jones will leave for St. Louis where their home already nicely furnished awaits them.

Watch Meeting.

A watch meeting was held at the Methodist church last night which was very pleasant and profitable. Presiding Elder Baxter and Pastor Vest both took part in the program. A similar meeting was held at the Mission, which was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Accident at the Sucker Rod.

Isaac Gardiner, an employe at the Sucker Rod Factory, received a very painful wound this morning while at work. He was tying up a bundle of sucker rods when one flew out of place and struck him over the eye cutting a deep gash, causing the blood to flow quite freely.

D. C. Kendrick and wife, of Ripley county, came here this morning to spend New Year with relatives.

Miss Dora Powers, of Scott county, came here this morning to visit Miss Josie Waters.

A. C. Bradbury, of Vernon, came over today to visit Mrs. L. H. Downing.

Miss Lida Storey came down today from Columbus to visit friends.

J. E. England and sister, of Logansport, arrived today to visit the latter's sister, Mrs. E. H. Howard.

F. J. Meyers, of Valloonia, was here today on business and will remain till tomorrow.

P. J. Fettig and family went to Crothersville this morning to spend the day with friends.

J. C. Kelsitt and wife, of Madison, came here today to visit friends.

Mrs. Ed Fenton, who has been very sick of fever, is better today.

Julius Miller went to New Albany today to assist in celebrating the 74th birthday anniversary of his father.

F. W. McElvain, who has returned here from Princetown, is very sick at the home his brother, J. F., north of the city.

D. W. Nichols and daughter, of Madison, are here visiting friends.

OLD FOLKS.

Men and women who have reached advanced years of life need a medicine to tone up the system and strengthen the stomach and kidneys, which after so many years' faithful service have become weakened. The best medicine to meet their needs is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Do not fail to try it.

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HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

SAUERS.

Next week we will publish the names of the new elders who will be elected by the church members on Jan. 2, 1902.

John Diekmeyer has purchased a new set of harness from Keach Bros. of Brownstown.

The congregation will hold their first quarterly meeting at this place January 2nd.

Misses Minnie and Katie Steinkamp visited Miss Sophia Vornholt over Sunday.

Rev. Schultz, pastor of the Lutheran church of Brownstown delivered a fine sermon here Thursday morning.

Henry Bueening and ye scribe spent Sunday at George Steinkamp's.

Quite a number of our young folks are contemplating going to Oklahoma in the near future.

Misses Ella Reuben and Minnie Horstman, of Brownstown, were in our midst Sunday the guest of friends.

Kasper Overman and wife went to Brownstown Monday.

Fred and Henry Sierp, of Seymour, circulated among friends here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Diekmeyer spent Thursday with friends at Wegan.

C. Brandt is having employment at Dudleytown.

Church was largely attended at this place on Christmas eve. People coming from different parts of the country.

George Kamman and friend went to South Driftwood on X-mas eve.

J. Wiendhorst's children have the whooping cough.

Mr. Steinkamp has erected a new wire fence.

Harman Steinkamp called on friends near Tampico Wednesday.

Edward Brandt and Fred Sierp, of near Rockford, spent Sunday at Geo. Steinkamp's.

H. Rosemeyer and Anna Havner were united in the holy bonds of matrimony Tuesday, Dec. 24, at the home of the groom's parents. We extend congratulations.

Henry Bueening visited friends at Cincinnati during the holidays.

Carl Cox, of Chestnut Ridge, was a visitor here Wednesday.

John Waldkoetter and wife called on Honeytown friends Christmas.

Fred Altemeyer and family, of Wegan, spent Thursday in Wm. Toppie's family.

The new year always brings something good. This year it will bring a highly respected young man to be the husband of one of our esteemed young ladies.

Casper Overman has built an addition to his barn which adds greatly to its appearance.

Geo. Schrier, of Seymour, was in our midst Thursday.

CROTHERSVILLE.

A Happy New Year to editors and readers of the REPUBLICAN.

Wesley Densford is in Sullivan county looking for a location.

Argus Easum and family are here from Colfax, Washington, after an absence of twenty years.

John Graves and son, of Daviess county, visited here and in Scott county the past week.

Frank Alexander made a business trip to Trimble county, Ky., last week.

Daisy and Gertie Rider were here from Indianapolis last week.

Swope and Schuler are shipping wood to an Indianapolis market.

A three year old child of Wm. Garriott died last Wednesday of dropsy and was interred in the cemetery here Thursday.

Vincent Bohall, who was killed by a live electric wire at Indianapolis last week was born and raised in this county and soldiered in the civil war in Co. B 22nd vol. regiment.

Miss Rhonda Haggard, of Scott county, spent last week with relatives here.

D. H. Waters and Henry Butts were at Indianapolis this week.

While loading timber on a car here last week Bruce Jones met with a very painful accident in which three fingers were badly mashed.

Preston Rider was here last Friday from Columbus looking after the Cannery Co. interest.

Frank Klaycamp has moved from W. H. Thomas' farm to Smith Sayer's farm.

Free Bridges and family visited Jennings county over Sunday.

Rev. I. C. Overman, of Seymour, was here Monday Tuesday in the interest of the Baptist church here.

Miss Maggie May is home from a visit with relatives in Washington county.

Harvey Garriott made a business trip to Underwood Monday he has in the past ten days shipped to Chicago 1000 pieces of fur.

Jake Morgan, of Louisville, was a visitor here over Sunday.

Wm. Fultz and Ed Hall will sell the Champion machines this season.

Frank McKnight was home a few days from Westfield where he is engaged in the Hardware business. He reports a good trade.

Ephraim Hudson, after a protracted visit with his uncle, David Sage, in Grass Fork, and John Cole here, left Tuesday for his home in Grayson county, Ky.

Annual Meeting.

The First Baptist church will hold its annual meeting tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Reports from all organizations connected with the church will be made for the year just closed. This is always an important meeting with the church, as the work of the year is summed up, and officers are elected for the year to come.

Well Done.

Porter J. White and his excellent company was heard in Faust by a crowded house last night. The company is stronger than when here a year ago and the performance was very satisfactory to the audience.

Farmers' Institute Notes.

The male quartet that rendered several selections in a very delightful manner, at the meeting of the Farmers' Institute here, last January, will be at the Armory Hall meeting tomorrow—Thursday—evening, to enliven the occasion in their masterful way.

The entire afternoon session of the Farmers' Institute meeting tomorrow—Thursday—afternoon, will be devoted to a general discussion of "Corn."

Business men of Seymour are all interested in the Farmers' Institute meetings to be held at Armory Hall tomorrow—day and evening—and Friday, two day sessions. This invitation means you, with the compliments of the management.

All Seymour ladies, older and younger, are cordially invited to all the Farmers' Institute meetings, tomorrow and Friday. Special session, for women only, tomorrow afternoon.

Broke Jail.

Report comes from Scottsburg that the erstwhile Rev. Mr. Richey, who was in jail at the Scott county capital, broke jail Tuesday night and it is supposed has crossed the Ohio before this time. He is the same man, who two or three months ago butchered another man's cow and then sold the meat. But when he went to sell the hide, the strange disappearance of the cow was explainable—for the ped dealer had been advised to look out for this particular cow's hide. Richey was in jail waiting trial. When Richey went to Scottsburg he passed himself as a preacher and occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church there a few times.

Thousands Sent Into Exile.

Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and racked with cough are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial free at W. F. Peter's Drug Store. Price 50c and \$1.00 Every bottle guaranteed.

DIED.

WIRT—William A. Wirt died this morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. R. M. J. Cox at Brownstown, aged 74 years. He contracted pneumonia when he attended the funeral of Mr. Cox on Christmas day. He was born in Brownstown and lived there most of his life. In 1854 he made an overland trip to California. The funeral will be held from the residence of Mrs. Cox at Brownstown, Thursday, at 1:30 p. m.

Blown to Atoms.

The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure constipation and sick headache. Only 25c at W. F. Peter's drug store.

Pleasantly Entertained.

Misses Cora and Mae Love entertained a number of their friends last evening at their home on North Ewing street. Most of the evening was spent in "Carrom" playing. The new year was ushered in with fireworks. Refreshments in abundance were served. Those present spent a very pleasant time until the early morning hours.

DEER LICK.

Rev. Seeveringhaus filled his regular appointment here Sunday afternoon.

J. A. Fox and wife visited Dr. Davis and wife, of Azalia, Sunday.

School begun Monday after a week's vacation.

The Christmas exercise at Reddington Christmas eve was well attended.

Solomon Ackeret and wife were the guests of Joe Bowman and family Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah J. Foist, of this place, is visiting Mrs. Oscar Rockwell and other relatives at Seymour.

The Myse boys came home last week after a long absent from home.

Mr. Horning, of Seymour, was here on business Monday.

Mrs. Harding, the mother of Mrs. Dr. Davis, who was very sick last week, is better.

Our Sunday school elected new officers for the coming year. They are as follows: Supt. Adam Fox; assistant Supt., Ed Beikman; Secretary, Frank Miller; Treasurer, Ernest Sutton; Organist, Amelia Beikman; Librarian, George Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beikman gave an elaborate reception Wednesday, Dec. 24, in celebrating their silver wedding anniversary. Their wedding was in November but waited until Xmas to celebrate it. About fifty relatives and friends were present to witness the day. A fine dinner was served. The music was furnished by Messrs. Ed Miller and G. C. Borcharding and Misses Kate and Carrie Miller was grand. Mr. and Mrs. Beikman received several presents. After a pleasant day spent all departed wishing them many happy returns of the day.

If any one wishes to know how to set a good rabbit snare call on Adam Shank.

While Nim Bowman and Charley Fox were cutting logs in James Curry's woods by the sick of the County ditch last Saturday a tree fell and they running out of danger got caught in some barbed wire and went head first into the ditch and about two feet of water. They escaped unhurt but they found the water real cool.

ANOTHER RULING

Injunction Against Northern Pacific Dissolved By Higher Court.

JUDGE NOT SUSTAINED

The United States Circuit Court Does Not Agree With District Court in the Matter.

Governors of the Northwestern States Declare Themselves Against Proposed Merger.

Minneapolis, Jan. 1.—Judge Wm. Lochren of the United States circuit court yesterday dissolved the temporary injunction issued in the case of Peter Power against the Northern Pacific railway company by Judge Elliott of the district court of Hennepin county, Monday.

The injunction which was dissolved by the order of Judge Lochren restrained the Northern Pacific from issuing any evidences of indebtedness to retire the preferred stock of the company or to retire the preferred stock in any other manner than by the use of the surplus net earnings of the road. It also restrained the Northern Pacific and its officers from entering into any agreement or doing any act by which the road would be consolidated or merged through the medium of the Northern Securities company, with the Great Northern or the Burlington or either of them. After the decision was made orally by Judge Lochren at the close of a day's argument by the attorneys for both sides, an effort was made by the plaintiff's attorneys to have the court fix the amount of bond which would be required in order to appeal from the decision and to stay all further proceedings in the lower court pending the appeal. Judge Lochren refused to allow a supersedeas bond in any amount to be given. Judge W. A. Lancaster, representing Mr. Power, the plaintiff, asked the court: "Does your honor mean to say that the damage which would result to the Northern Pacific Railway company if an appeal from your order dissolving the temporary injunction were taken and a supersedeas bond staying proceedings were filed, would be so great that a bond could not be given large enough to reimburse the defendant?"

"As the question of granting a supersedeas," the judge replied, "is discretionary with the court, I decline to permit the staying of the proceedings or the force of the order by a supersedeas bond on appeal." Judge Lochren held that the Northern Pacific was acting within the authority of its charter of the contract entered into between it and its stockholders as incorporated in the certificates of preferred stock and of the agreement entered into Nov. 13 in attempting to retire the \$75,000,000 of preferred stock in the manner alleged by Mr. Power.

He also held that railroad corporations could not do indirectly what the law prevented them from doing directly and that any method by which consolidation of two or more competing and parallel lines would be brought about would be illegal and a writ of injunction would properly restrain the consummation of the plan. But there was nothing in the case as now presented to him that would indicate the stockholders of the Northern Pacific Railway company were attempting such a consolidation or merger.

The case was transferred late Monday night by the Northern Pacific Railway company from the state to the federal court and an order to show cause, returnable yesterday morning, why the temporary injunction granted by Judge Elliott should not be dissolved, was secured from Judge Lochren and served upon Mr. Power's attorneys. The answer of the defendant was filed in the district court and an order removing the case to the federal court was secured from Judge Brooks of the Hennepin district court. The Northern Pacific's answer was a lengthy document of 32 typewritten pages and ostensibly was prepared on a few hours' notice.

WILL NOT STAND IT

Governor's of Northwestern States Propose to Fight.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 1.—A definite plan of action to defeat the proposed consolidation of the Northern Pacific, Great Northern and Burlington railway systems was yesterday unanimously agreed upon by the governors and attorneys-general of seven Northwestern states, in which those roads have mileage. Legal action will be instituted immediately in Minnesota courts with this object in view and, to quote Attorney General Douglas of Minnesota, "The thing will be fought to a finish." Just how, when or where these suits will be brought, neither Governor Van Sant of Minnesota or Attorney General Douglas would state. The conference adjourned late in the afternoon after adopting resolutions condemning the proposed merger as contrary to sound public policy and pledging support to any proper legal action which may be brought to test its validity. Other resolutions adopted call on congress to investigate the subject and favor the granting of power to the interstate commerce commission to fix maximum rates upon interstate business.

H. C. Johnson made a business trip to Indianapolis today.

"C" With a Tail.

The "C" with a tail is the trademark of Cascarets Candy Cathartic. Look for it on the light blue enameled metal box! Each tablet stamped C. C. C. Never sold in bulk. All druggists, roc.

SUSPECT FOUL PLAY

Young Student's Strange Absence Creates Alarm.

Paoli, Ind., Jan. 1.—James Bowles, son of Dr. L. S. Bowles of this place, is missing, and the family is making every effort to locate him. He was attending Purdue university, and just before his Christmas vacation he wrote to his brother, a druggist at Bloomington, that he would arrive there on a certain train and be ready to assist him. The train did not bring him and after some delay the brother went to Lafayette, but no one there seemed to know much about him. The house where he had roomed was found unlocked and his best clothing was there. Mr. Bowles wore a cluster of diamonds on his finger and one on his bosom, valued at probably \$700 or \$800. His friends are alarmed for fear he is a victim of foul play.

Treacherous Ice.

Milan, Ind., Jan. 1.—While skaters were enjoying themselves on the icy surface of the Milan pond John Dever and Mrs. Grace Fallis, prominent young people, struck a thin sheet from which the ice had once been cut and sank in 20 feet of water, both being drowned. Their bodies were recovered after much difficulty.

Hunter Mangled.

Nashville, Ind., Jan. 1.—George Pritzer, while hunting, dropped his gun and it was discharged, tearing away part of his heel. Amputation of the foot followed.

A Massachusetts Tragedy.

Turners Falls, Mass., Jan. 1.—Louis Bitzer, who shot and killed his clerk Miss L. A. Columbe, and his five-year old son, and attempted to take the lives of his wife and two other children yesterday, was taken to the Franklin county jail in Greenfield late in the day. He is being given a hearing in the district court today. He is charged with murder and it is likely he will be held for the grand jury which will convene in March. Friends of Bitzer aver that he was insane when he committed the murders, but the officers after a careful investigation say that they have secured no evidence to bear out that claim.

Grant an Increase

St. Paul, Jan. 1.—Late yesterday afternoon General Superintendent F. E. Ward of the Great Northern, P. M. Arthur, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Engineers, and J. J. Hanrahan, first vice grandmaster of the Fire men, met at the Great Northern building to sign the agreement between the company and the engineers and fire men, which was practically completed in the morning. The new agreement grants an increase of wages to both engineers and firemen, recognizing the contention of the men work on the new and larger engines is worth more than the old scales.

New Theory of Life.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—Professor Jacques Loeb of the University of Chicago, in a paper read before a section of the American Society of Naturalists' convention, made the announcement that he had discovered the physical process that accompany life, that electricity and not heat energy is the basis of life. He does not claim to have solved the problem of "What is life?" but to have proved a theory which overthrows a fundamental portion of the teachings of text books on physiology.

North Atlantic Squadron.

San Juan, P. R., Jan. 1.—The United States north Atlantic squadron arrived off this port yesterday. Rear Admiral Francis F. Higginson came ashore and transferred his flag to the United States gunboat Marietta. The latter had been awaiting the squadron here for several weeks. Admiral Higginson visited Governor Hunt and secured the squadron's mail. He proceeded to Gulebra Island last evening. The itinerary of the squadron is unchanged.

Troublesome Lobsters.

St. Johns, N. F., Jan. 1.—The Anglo-French modus vivendi covering the lobster question on the French shore of Newfoundland expired yesterday. It is not known what course will be adopted with regard to the future of this question. Newfoundland is not desirous of renewing the measure until it shall be required by imperial exigencies. The condition of affairs in South Africa weighs largely with the colonial government in deciding what action shall be taken in this matter.

Relics of Nero's Reign.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 1.—A package containing bones and dried blood of St. Magnus, a Roman centurion, and St. Bonisa, a Roman virgin, who were martyred in the time of Nero, arrived from Rome at the office of the surveyor of the port in Louisville yesterday. The relics will be placed under the altar of St. Martin's Catholic church in this city. They were taken from the catacomb over 200 years ago and have since reposed in the church of the convent of Agnal near Rome.

The Boiler Let Go.

Prescott, Ark., Jan. 1.—From some unknown cause a boiler exploded yesterday at Britt's Switch, nine miles from here, killing instantly Tim Moore, James Hogue and A. T. Calhoun.

Maso's Men Held Back.

Havana, Jan. 1.—Full election returns have not yet been received here. The indications promise a light vote. The partisans of General Bartholome Maso in Havana did not vote.

How Are Your Kidneys?

Dr. Hobbs' Sprague's Pills cure kidney ills. Sample free. Add Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

Nathan Cobee and wife, of Elizabethtown, came here this morning on business and to visit the latter's cousin, Mrs. Henry Kasperlein.

THE U. S. STANDARD.

No Man Is Stronger Than His Stomach.

The man who seeks to enlist in the U. S. Army must be physically sound. There is a minimum standard of height and men under that standard, no matter how healthy, will not be accepted. But aside from height the requirement is a sound physical condition, and this condition depends in chief upon the health of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition. Many a man has been rejected by the medical examiner who appeared externally to possess all the physical requirements of a good soldier. But the examiner looks below the surface. He knows when the stomach is weak, and he knows also that no man is stronger than his stomach. Most people look upon indigestion as a discomfort rather than a disease. But



In reality indigestion or dyspepsia is the disease of all diseases. It makes other diseases possible. It involves the blood and the heart, lungs, liver, kidneys—every organ of the body.

WEAK STOMACH WEAK MAN.

That a "weak" stomach causes general physical weakness may easily be understood. Food is the staff of life. The source of all physical strength is food. But before the body can receive strength from what is eaten the food must be digested and assimilated. To convert the food eaten into nutrition is the office of the stomach and the other organs of digestion and nutrition. When the stomach is "weak" the food received into it is only partly digested and assimilated; the body loses its proper supply of nutrition and grows proportionately weak. The capacity of the stomach in its normal health and use equals the nutritive demands of the body. State that normal capacity as equal to 100. When the stomach is "weak" its capacity is reduced proportionately. It may be that ten or twenty per cent. of the nutritive values of the food eaten are lost or wasted. That ten or twenty per cent. of lost nutrition must then represent a ten or twenty per cent. loss of physical strength.

WHERE STRENGTH COMES FROM.

Physical strength comes from food and from food alone. If a man has enough to eat and eats enough, there's no reason why he should not have a perfectly nourished and healthy body. If he is not well nourished, if he is losing weight, then the stomach is weak or diseased, whether he knows it or not. If he knows he has stomach "trouble," then he may be sure that the trouble will not stop with the stomach, but will reach out to other organs of the body dependent on the stomach for nutrition.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has restored lost health and strength to thousands of suffering men and women, because it cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutri-

tion, and enables the building up of the body in the only way known to nature, by the assimilation of the nutrition extracted from food. Golden Medical Discovery makes the "weak" stomach strong, and so makes the weak man strong by perfect nutrition.

"I had been suffering from indigestion so badly that I could not work more than half the time," writes Mr. Victor L. Hayden, of Blackstone, Nottoway Co., Va. "But now I can work every day and eat anything I want. Why? Because I took Dr. R. V. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It has put new life and energy in me, restored my health and made a man of me once more. I used to weigh 170 but had gotten down to 144, now am back to 150 and will soon be back at my old weight if nothing happens. Your medicine has done it all. I cannot thank you enough for your advice and think if it had not been for your medicine I would not have been here many years."

A CORNFIELD LESSON.

The average person seems entirely unaware of the dependence of the several organs of the body upon the stomach for their health and strength. But if a "weak" stomach makes a weak man that weakness must be distributed among all the parts and organs which, taken as a whole, make up the physical man. The relation of the stomach to the physical organs is like the relation of the corn to the soil in which it grows. If the soil around the corn, then the stalk is tall, the leaves are broad, the ears heavy. If the soil is poor or weak then the corn is weak and it is weak all over, in stalk, leaf and ear. Every part of the corn shares in the lack of nutritive elements in the soil. It's so with the stomach. When it is "weak" and there is loss of nutrition, every organ shares



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**WEATHER INDICATIONS.**

CHICAGO, ILL., December 30, 1901—Fair tonight and probably Wednesday. Slight change in temperature.

FOR RENT—Six-room house. See J. H. Hodapp. jld2w

Bulk oysters and fish at Wheeler's restaurant, East Second street. d18t

FOR RENT—Two houses on Brown street. JAMES DEGOLYER. J4d

**Anthracite Coal.**

I have just received a car of anthracite coal.

H. F. WHITE.

**PERSONALS.**

Liston Hill came down from Indianapolis last evening to spend a day or two with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Jones returned last evening from Indianapolis to remain a few days before they go to St. Louis.

William Happ, near Surprise, is dangerously sick of stomach trouble.

Miss Rella Throop, of Cincinnati, is the pleasant guest of Miss Dorothy Sandau.

S. W. Stevens and daughter, of Maysville, Ky., are here to spend New Years with friends and relatives.

Frank Cunningham has gone to Louisiana to reside with his sister.

C. M. Deiner is here from Quincy, Ill., to spend the winter with relatives.

Mrs. H. C. Kneipe, of Indianapolis, came here last evening to spend New Years with relatives and friends.

Mrs. D. W. Handforth, of Huntingburg, came here last evening to visit friends.

J. H. Wallace, of Springfield, O., is here to spend the winter with his son, W. W. Wallace, of the Southern Indiana.

Mrs. M. Berg and son, of Indianapolis, who have visited the family of A. Paar, on South Chestnut street, returned home last evening.

Miss Anna Disque, west of Ewing, came here last evening to visit the family of J. H. Abbott.

Miss Lena Schmidt went to Columbus last evening to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. S. Hiney, of Colorado, arrived last night to visit her daughter, Mrs. Morton McDonald.

J. H. Liston and wife, after a visit to relatives here, returned to Indianapolis last evening.

J. H. Heimbaugh and wife, of Indianapolis, who have visited friends here, went to Brown county last night.

Mrs. J. H. Gladdin, of Jeffersonville, came here last evening to spend New Years with relatives.

Mrs. J. M. Higgins, of Dupont, after a visit to her mother-in-law, returned home last night.

Peter Pettig, wife and son, of Shelbyville, after a visit to his parents, Joseph Pettig and wife returned home last evening.

James V. Pollard, who is employed in a box factory at Indianapolis and who has visited his home here, returned to his post of duty today.

J. R. Whitfield and wife, of Crothersville, who have been trading and visiting friends here, returned home last night.

Mrs. B. F. Bridges, of Bedford, came here today on business.

J. C. Moore and daughter, of Winfield, Kansas, came here today on business and to visit friends.

A. H. Nansemond and wife, of Covington, Ky., came here last evening to spend some time with relatives and friends.

William Lynch, of White Creek, is in a critical condition of infirmity. He is 83 years old.

Mrs. M. F. Bottorff, of Longview, was called to Bedford Friday to see her mother, who is very sick. She is 80 years old.

Miss Bertha Everhart came home Tuesday from a visit to St. Louis relatives and friends.

In honor of Miss Sudie Mills, of Seymour, Miss Arnie Padgett will entertain a number of friends at her home Wednesday evening.—Washington Democrat.

Miss Minnie Cordes, of Seymour, arrived last evening to make a visit with Miss Kate Rogers.—Greensburg Review.

J. H. Beaver and wife, of Bedford, came here this morning from Indianapolis. Mr. Beaver is looking after the grading of the electric line from Indianapolis south which he says is ready to be built. They returned home today.

E. H. Hampton and wife, of Washington, came here this morning to spend the day with relatives.

Will F. Bush went to Marion this morning to visit his mother and brother.

J. M. Kellogg, of Mason, Ill., came here today to visit friends.

Mrs. D. C. Brown went to Danvers, Ill., today to visit her parents.

Frank Shields left this afternoon for Franklin where he is attending college. The winter term opens tomorrow.

C. M. Harris and wife, of Kokomo, who have been here to spend Christmas and New Year with friends and relatives, returned home today.

Miss Sadie Nesbitt, of Cambridge City, came here today to spend a few days with friends.

A. J. Goodwin and wife, of Indianapolis, came here today to visit relatives near Marling.

Raymond Abbott has about recovered from an attack of chicken pox.

Miss Alice Davis, of Franklin, came down today to visit friends.

Mrs. Bert Bridges, who has been visiting friends, returned to Crothersville today.

Mrs. Kate Moore went to Louisville today to visit friends.

**DECISION FAVORS CITY.**

Judge New Rules Against the Water Company.

Judge New, of the Jennings circuit court, made his first important ruling Tuesday in the preliminary skirmish in the case of the City of Seymour against the Seymour Water Company. His ruling was on the plaintiff's demurrer to the defendant's answer to the complaint. He delivered an oral opinion, sustaining the city's contention as to the validity of the franchise granted, holding that in his opinion the franchise is void because of the exclusive features it attempts to grant. He made no ruling on the second paragraph of the complaint which alleges failure on the part of the company to comply with certain provisions of the contract with the city.

As only a few days of the present term of court remain and all the time of the court will be taken with other cases set down for trial, this case was continued until next term.

Oysters, celery, cranberries, kraut, at Hancock's.

The Travis Carter Co. today received a contract from Louisville to make a big lot of veneer oak doors.

Five old soldiers were before the Seymour pension board Tuesday.

S. V. Harding and wife, of Indianapolis, came down this morning on business. This evening they go to Azalia to visit his mother.

Mrs. G. W. Saylor and Mrs. A. H. Walling, of Covington, Kentucky, came here today to visit White Creek friends.

Mrs. Clara Stilwell, of Brownstown, is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Blanche Jefferson.

W. B. Anderson and sister, of Shelbyville, came here today to visit relatives and friends.

A. C. Brauman and family, who recently moved here from Clearspring, went to Columbus today to visit friends.

Mrs. Isaac Apper, who has been very sick, may be little better today.

Rev. E. R. Vest went to Blocher this morning to visit relatives.

Mrs. Henry Harper was called to Louisville this morning to see a sick sister.

Mrs. Luella Routt, after a visit to her mother, returned to Shoals today.

Mrs. J. E. White arrived last evening from Illinois to visit her aunt, Mrs. C. M. Cross.

**Week of Prayer.**

The annual week of prayer will be observed by the churches of Seymour in union services beginning at 7:30 each evening. The program for the week is as follows:

Monday, January 6, at the M. E. church. Subject: "Manifestation of God in Christ Jesus." Leader, Rev. M. E. Dunt.

Tuesday, January 7, at the Baptist church. Subject: "The Nation." Leader, Rev. E. R. Vest, D. D.

Wednesday, January 8, the regular prayer meetings in each church.

Thursday, January 9, at the Christian church. Subject: "Missions." Leader, Rev. J. T. Charlton.

Friday, January 10, at the Presbyterian church. Subject: "The Family and the School." Leader, Rev. J. M. Baxter.

All are cordially invited to attend each of these services.

**BORN**

To Henry Fill and wife, of Maysville, Mo., December 29, a fine daughter.

To John Hinder and wife Sunday, Dec. 29, a son.

To A. D. Elkins and wife, Tuesday, Dec. 31, a daughter.

To Wilburn McClure and wife, Jan. 1st, a daughter.

Alfred Williams and wife, of Spraytown, are here visiting their daughter, Mrs. N. Burkart.

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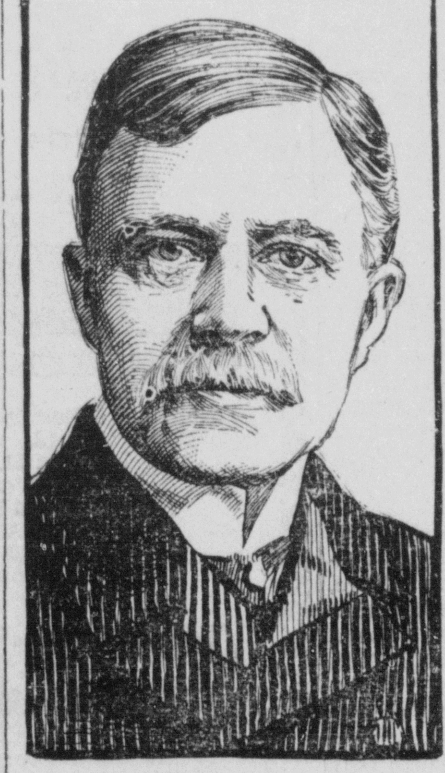
With sympathies as varied as American interests, with outlook as broad as American destiny, with courage as high as America's mission in the scheme of civilization, with purpose as steady as American character, with faith in and love for the American people, the very passion of his life, Theodore Roosevelt will rise to the sublime heights to which the successor of William McKinley needs must rise as the chief magistrate of the first nation of the world, the president of the United States.

**The Governor's Address.**  
Governor Durbin was then introduced. The governor said:  
Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen:  
I am a Republican!  
I deem it hardly necessary to make this statement in proof of my fidelity to the party, but rather for the purpose of emphasizing the fact that each of us should accept it in our minds and hearts as a cardinal principle, shorn of all selfish purpose, open to but one interpretation—the permanent good of the organization to which we here renew our allegiance, regardless of mere personal considerations or individual ambitions.

We are not the Republican party of Indiana; only its humble representatives, and whatsoever we may do or contemplate doing will prove of no avail unless it has the stamp of approval of the great mass of sovereigns of this commonwealth, each of whom, happily, has equal voice in the affairs of government. The immortal Abraham Lincoln left to us as a valued inheritance the forceful injunction, "Keep close to the people." Let us, therefore, bear in mind, especially those of us who have been favored by preferment, that we are but servants of sovereigns who have the power to create and unmake, to determine and condemn.

The Republican party has achieved success by systematically and determinedly adhering to positive policies. To recount its victories, to enumerate its benefices, to dwell upon its glorious achievements in peace and war, would be to repeat nearly all that is comprised in the pages of history concerning the progress of the republic.

The eyes of the nations of the world are now upon us. From every quarter of the civilized world come mutterings against the so-called "commercial invasion by the United States." The earth has been traversed and oceans have been spanned by American genius and industry. We have expanded, not only territorially, but likewise



GOVERNOR DURBIN.

commercially, so rapidly that the great strides made are not adequately realized except by those who are patient students of statistics. And all this has been accomplished through the wisdom and guidance of the Republican party! We should be thankful for these results, and it is most befitting that we should here and now renew our devotion to the principles which have brought about conditions which redound to the greatness and glory of our country.

In the progress that has been made in national affairs, Indiana can consistently claim its full quota of credit and honor. Our senators and representatives in congress have been in full accord with administration policies, and their loyalty is appreciated and commended by their constituents. With such a record, with rarely a note of discord, there is no reason why we should not look to the future with the same feeling of hopefulness that has so well served the good purpose of crowning the past with achievements as distinctly great as any to be found in the annals of time.

Indiana is a Republican state. That fact has been established by the returns of the several general elections last past, but we must have care that this prestige, obtained only after a long and persistent struggle for supremacy, is not frittered away by ill-advised counsel or action. Fortunately, the party in this state has never been dominated by any one man or close-corporation coterie. Our people are too intelligent, self-reliant and independent to tolerate anything paralyzing of the characteristics of political bossism. Any assumption of dictatorship is repugnant to their sense of right and justice, and they may be confidently counted on to resent the least encroachment upon what they consider their vested prerogatives as free men. Those who assume leadership must ever bear in mind that personal or political ambition is doomed to disaster unless it is cordially reinforced by the rank and file. Some

other parties may possibly succeed by star-chamber sessions, secret conferences and close-corporation methods, but the Republican party cannot expect to do so. I believe every man, however humble, who shares our political belief should be taken into complete confidence and full fellowship. Furthermore, our constant aim should be to unite all efforts in behalf of party harmony and success, rather than for individual aggrandizement. The counting of chickens before they are hatched is not always productive of results most desired; hence it is far better to defer mathematics along those lines until after the incubator has received proper attention.

You gentlemen here assembled are charged with an highly important responsibility. You represent a power that has been instrumental in enhancing the material and social welfare of the state, potent in giving broader significance to our claim to a nation guaranteeing human liberty, influential in aiding to add star after star to the blue sky in the rippling red and white folds of "Old Glory." Let us jealously guard the sacred trust, ever mindful of our responsibility and obligation to the people, for by no other means can we retain that confidence and support upon which the future success of our party depends.

Since the preceding annual love feast, death has claimed three illustrious men to whom we are all cordially attached by ties both political and personal. William McKinley, president, Christian, statesman, American nobleman, fell victim to a bullet fired by a worthless monster. The tragedy was so wanton that it shocked the sensibilities of the whole civilized world, producing grief sincere and universal. To that far-seeing man, whose mortal remains now repose near his old home in Canton, the Republican party owes much and the people of this nation, regardless of party, owe more. He served his countrymen faithfully and efficiently; he died without a blemish on his record in the public service.

Another life of great usefulness and honor was ended with the passing away of our illustrious fellow citizen, General Benjamin Harrison. As long as he lived we were glad to accord him the distinction of being the foremost citizen of our state, the accepted leader of our party. As president of the United States he demonstrated qualities of statesmanship that won the respect of men of this and every other nation. As a citizen, a co-worker and friend his counsel was always valuable, his assistance much sought. On the field of battle he proved his courage and patriotism; in the councils of his party he was masterful; in the forum he was invincible. His life was one of usefulness, and his name will survive in the list of immortals who have been conspicuously identified with the progress of the foremost nation of the world.

And still another, whom we respected and loved, answered the dread summons, which came so suddenly, so unexpectedly, that we were dazed by it. When James A. Mount died the Republican party of Indiana sustained a loss that cannot easily be repaired. He was essentially a man of the people, great of mind, of heart and conscience. He had faith in the people, and they had faith in him, because they knew he was honest with them and honest with himself. His influence for good was far-reaching for the reason that he was known to be righteous. He had barely cast aside the robes of office he had so signally honored when the hand of death, swift and sure, laid him prostrate and lifeless. His public services were characterized by thoroughness, fidelity and efficiency, and his memory is sacredly cherished by the people who know full well that in all his efforts he was inspired by wholesome, unselfish, lofty purposes.

"The good deeds of men live after them." Let us therefore profit by the record of the life-work of these departed statesmen and heroes, by emulating their virtues, by consecrating ourselves anew to correct principles and invoking the grace of the good God above us in all our undertakings in behalf of what we consider to be for the best interests of the party, the state and the nation.

**Congressman Holliday Talks.**  
Congressman Holliday of the Fifth district was called on, and he spoke briefly but enthusiastically of the Republican party, the work it had accomplished and what it expected to do. "We men of the old guard," he said, "bring greetings to our young friends, and we ask them to press forward as the old men have done before them. A policy is judged by its results. No maxims of government will satisfy the people unless followed by accomplished results."

"The history of the nation for the past half century has been the history of the Republican party. The small period during which that party was out of power may be regarded as a mere interregnum. We are strong because our promises have been fulfilled. Because our pledges have been kept, the people have been true to us. They have been true to us because we have been true to them."

"The industrial conditions, the financial conditions in the United States today are the wonder of the world. We are making history now. However prosaic matters may appear, the nation today is making history. The isthmian canal, so long a dream, is now in fair progress to reality. And it will be an American canal, built by American capital. Then there are the little brown men beyond the sea. We have been reproached that we were not willing to give them self-government. Every self-respecting man in the United States would go down on his knees and thank God if they were capable of self-government. But not a dollar that is collected there as customs is to be covered into our treasury. Every dollar shall go to build up the Filipino people. The

world never knew anything like this in the treatment of a colony before. In dealing with the wards of the nation, the American people have followed the admonition of the Bible, 'Whatsoever ye would that others do unto you do ye so unto them.' If we maintain the standard already set the American people will hold up the hands of the administration as Aaron held up the hands of Moses, and we shall go forward to new victories and greater triumphs for the party and for the country."

The other Indiana congressmen who were present at the meeting were evidently busied about other matters at this stage of the love feast, for though calls came for all of them to address briefly, calls then came for Frederick Landis, the rising young "silver-tongued" orator of Logansport. He responded in his characteristic way, paying eloquent tribute to the memory of the great names in the Republican party that are now imperishably recorded on history's scroll. Dr. C. H. Good of Huntington and Carey Cowgill of Wabash responded briefly to calls upon them, and the meeting adjourned.

**FAIR WEATHER FORESIGHT.**  
Needed Congressional Action as Viewed in the Great Northwest.

The indications are that the senate will refuse to ratify any of the reciprocity treaties before it and that nothing will be done to extend the markets for our products in foreign countries, as earnestly advised by the late president and by his successor; that nothing will be done to repeal or modify the protective duties which have done their work and are no longer needed for protective purposes; that nothing will be done to take our currency out of its straitjacket of government bond securities and make its volume automatically adjustable to the wants of trade. Whatever else may be done, it seems to be the general understanding that, to use a common expression, there is to be no tinkering with the tariff or the currency. The country is prospering, they say, with the tariff and the currency as it is. They have done very well. Let well enough alone.

But it is precisely in times of prosperity that prudent business men prepare to put their business on such a solid foundation that it will not be shaken when storms come. The railroads of the country have been doing well and making large earnings with heavy grades and light and cheap rails and a cheap equipment of cars and locomotives. But the wise and far-seeing business men in charge of them have been and are taking advantage of the prosperous times to reduce their grades, to lay heavier rails and to so improve their equipment as to greatly reduce the cost of transportation and thus insure good earnings for the roads even in hard times. They are doing what all discreet business men are doing, and what the government should do is to take advantage of the present period of prosperity to adopt such measures as will place that prosperity on a solid foundation, so far as it is affected by government policies, and thus make it permanent.

The extension of the foreign markets for our products is one of the most imperative needs of the country. The industrial activity of the country is so enormous that our own markets will soon be glutted with the excess of their products. Unless new fields of consumption are found abroad we are fast approaching that period of over-production which means the shutting up of factories or the reduction of their labor forces and the throwing of many thousands out of employment. It is an entirely sound principle that the benefits of reciprocity should not be purchased at the sacrifice of the interests of American industry, but it is a wholly fallacious and vicious perversion of that principle to say that reciprocity should not be had when it conflicts with the interests of any American industry. There are some industries which are not worth protection and which are protected at the cost of all other industries. The opposition in the senate to the ratification of the commercial treaties before that body comes from the representatives of small industries which would not be injured by the 20 per cent reduction of their protective duties and which are of but little account anyhow.

Our currency is a fair weather currency. Its lack of adaptability to the business needs of the country in business emergencies contributed greatly to aggravate the panic of 1893 and the depression which followed it. It has been put on the safe foundation of the gold standard. It is a sound currency so far as its stability is concerned, but it is not responsive to the wants of trade. The time to make it so is now. The man who won't mend his leak roof in fair weather is likely to be sorry when the rainstorm comes.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

**Water the Deserts.**  
It is as right for the national government to make the streams and rivers of the arid region useful by engineering works for water storage as to make useful the rivers and harbors of the humid region by engineering works of another kind.—President's Message.

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**SURPRISE.**

John Ottenshult is slowly improving under the care of Drs. Jenkins and Davis.  
Jason Campbell returned to Illinois where he is working, after a few days' visit with relatives.  
Laban Coffman and sister, Miss Emma, visited relatives at Honeytown last week.  
Mrs. B. C. Lett visited friends at Seymour the latter part of last week.  
Miss Josie Bergdoll, of Hayden, spent Christmas with relatives here.  
Miss Nora Hooker is spending the holidays with relatives at Scottsburg.  
Charles Rumph and wife have moved back from Muncie.  
Born, to Wm. McKain and wife, a daughter.  
Miss Essie Lynch is home from Seymour on a visit.  
J. D. and Clark Rumph have gone to Muncie where they have employment.

Charles McPherson and Rev. Jacob White are on the sick list.  
Revs. Snyder and Robbins failed to come Sunday and their regular appointments were filled by Revs. Rucker and Reynolds.  
Charles Bergdoll, of company C, 3rd U. S. Infantry, who has served three years in the Philippines is now at San Francisco and is expected home in a few days. His many friends will be glad to welcome him back to his old home.  
The infant daughter of John Claycamp and wife is sick.

Frank Hilker has gone to Indianapolis.  
Miss Ida Stockdale, of Indianapolis, is lying at the point of death of consumption, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Hiten.  
Grandfather Lynch was taken very ill Saturday and Dr. Barnes, of Seymour, was called to see him. He is no better.

Misses Katie and Lizzie Darlage attended the wedding of Miss Minnie Garver and Mr. Conrad Keller, of Cincinnati, at Waymansville Sunday.  
A crowd of young folks spent Sunday evening very pleasantly at Jesse Isaacs' where they were furnished some nice vocal and instrumental music by Mead Isaacs and sister, Miss Edna.  
Miss Ola Wheeler went to Kurtz Monday to visit for some time.

The U. B. Sunday school reorganized Sunday and elected the following officers for the coming year: President John Brackemyre; vice president, Fred Schmutz; Secretary, Laura Wheeler; Assistant, Sophia Rucker; treasurer, Will Nelson; organist, Hazel Claycamp; chorister, Fremont Rucker; librarian, Mary Hammann and Clarence Reedy.

**WELLS-SPRAY.**  
Wm. Wells and Miss Alice Spray both highly respected young people were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Frank Spray and wife December 25, by Rev. W. E. Snyder. About fifty invited guests assembled in the parlor when Miss Ida Runge played the wedding march and the bride and groom entered. Bert Lewis and Lizzie Schmutz acted as best man and bridesmaid. The bride was dressed in a beautiful gown of pale blue. After receiving congratulations from their friends they proceeded to the dining room where a nice dinner was waiting. They received many valuable presents.

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**PLEASANT GROVE.**

Meed Reynolds, who has been employed at Indianapolis for the past three months, spent Christmas with his parents here.  
Miss Hettie Pferrer went to Indianapolis last Tuesday.  
Leo Browning is no better.  
Miss Minnie Sewell, of Brownstown, is visiting her grandparents here this week.  
Edward Sewell and wife and little daughter, Mildred, visited C. O. Enochs and family last Friday and Saturday.  
John Baultman and wife visited the latter's parents at Brownstown Sunday.  
Rev. F. H. Reynolds made a business trip to Seymour last Saturday.  
"Billy" Richards sold a fine load of hay to Minnie Johnson last week.  
Miss Oma Patrick is visiting her uncle, Benjamin Roberts, at Medora this week.  
C. O. Enochs and family visited at Honeytown Sunday.  
Bert Robertson, Life Heisman and August Pferrer took Christmas dinner with "Shack" Reynolds.

Quite a number from this place attended the entertainment at Honeytown Christmas Eve. All report a grand time.  
Miss Oma Robertson, who has been staying with E. B. Langston and family and attending school, is spending the holidays at home.  
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**OAK GROVE.**

There was prancing at the Chapel Sunday evening.  
A large crowd from this place attended the entertainment given in the Methodist church at Surprise Christmas eve.  
Born to Will McKain and wife a fine baby girl.  
Mrs. Harvey is very sick. Dr. Shewman attends her.  
Austin Hooker, a law student, of Andover, Mich., is spending his vacation with his uncle, L. D. Hooker, and family.  
Grandfather Lynch is seriously ill. Dr. Barnes, of Seymour, is the attending physician.  
Milton Murphy, of Scottsburg, is visiting his cousin, Otis Hooker, during the holidays.  
Curtis Hooker wishes to thank Mrs. Mrs. Charles Bultman for some fine wedding cake received.  
Sam Anderson, Albert Wright and Asa Lynch attended Y. P. C. U. at Acme Sunday night.  
Mr. Cockerham, of Surprise, was a caller at this place Sunday.  
Jacob Brackemyer, of Surprise, passed through here Thursday evening enroute to Long View.  
Miss Nora Hooker, after a week's pleasant visit with friends and relatives in Scottsburg, returned home Saturday.  
Will Lynch spent Sunday with his grandfather, Wm. Lynch.  
Miss Josie Bergdoll, of Hayden, is visiting friends at Nigger Hill.  
Fred and Bruce Carr, of Long View, called on friends at this place.

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**WASKOM.**

Mrs. Daniel Empson and daughter, Miss Mattie, visited the former parents, Jacob Waskom and wife, Sunday.  
Clarence and Andolph Pollert went to Valleria to mill Saturday.  
Miss Lucy Burdiss made a business trip to Brownstown Saturday.  
Levi Morgan and wife visited Mrs. Abbie Humphrey Friday.  
John Hess and wife spent a couple of days helping the latter parents, Daniel Empson and wife, to butcher hogs last week.  
Daniel Empson lost two valuable cows by the straw stack falling on them Tuesday night.  
S. Eacret, of Seymour, was through here last week making his delivery of pictures.  
Rob Soliday and Miss Amelia Borcharding spent the holidays with friends at Salem.  
Henry Otte and Dale Morgan have gone to Ripley county to attend to business and visit relatives.  
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Prof Waskom after a few days' vacation returned to Sparksville to resume his school work.  
Some of the young folks attended Xmas exercises at Mt Pleasant and report an excellent time.  
Blaine Empson will soon leave for medical college at Louisville.  
Wade and Blaine Empson were guests of Dr. Zaring and family Sunday at Tampico.

**JONESVILLE.**

Mrs. Wm. Phillips is spending a few days with relatives at Columbus.  
Rev. Kiser, of the German Lutheran church exchanged pulpits with Rev. Marquette, of White Creek Thursday.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bottorff, of Cortland, came up Wednesday to spend Xmas with her parents, George Marquet and wife.  
Miss Grace and Fannie Sanders, of Columbus, visited here during the holidays.  
Miss Fannie and Omer Clark, of Columbus, visited their grandmother, Mrs. Win Watts, during vacation.  
Dr. Lawrence came home Saturday night accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Lawrence, who will return to her home in Hartsville sometime in January.  
Mrs. Ben Hill and children, of Edinburg, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Scott Bedgood, this week.  
Miss Annie Stinnett spent a few days with her mother during the holidays. She has resided at Franklin for sometime with an uncle.  
Miss Anna Nantup went to Columbus Thursday to visit relatives and friends.  
Mr. Elison and wife spent Xmas with her father, Dr. Lawrence. They will return to their home in Ohio Monday.  
C. W. Abel went to Cincinnati Sunday on a business trip, returned home Tuesday morning.  
Born to Jim Nebold and wife Saturday Dec. 28, a son.

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